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Title : METHOD FOR MAKING A LOW OHMIC PRESSURE-CONTACT  
ELECTRICAL CONNECTION BETWEEN THE RING ELECTRODE  
UNDER SURFACE AND THE LEAD WIRE  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION**

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In response to the Office action of June 3, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.